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TITLE OF INVENTION Novel Linoleum Structure and Method for Producing Same								
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Ole Markmann and Bernd Schulte								
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:								
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This is an express request to promptly begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)).								
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5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))								
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6. X An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).								
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11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included	≥d.							
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